

AT THE LYRIC TUESDAY—"SAPHO" ALPHONSE DAUDET'S MASTERPIECE IN SIX REELS, WITH FLORENCE ROBERTS IN THE STELLAR ROLE

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ONE CENT

## PUBLIC INVITED TO GOOD ROADS MEETING

Plans to be Laid Tonight for Observance of Good Roads Day

### WILL SELECT ROADS

Several in Need of Attention  
--Fallowfield Township Joins in Movement

Not only the numerous committees but the general public is invited to attend the meeting tonight to be held in the rooms of the Charleroi Business Men's Association for the purpose of planning for the observance of Good Roads Day on May 26. Fallowfield township will work with Charleroi in the observance of the day, and the supervisors of that township will attend the Charleroi meeting tonight.

The idea of the meeting tonight is simply to lay plans. Much enthusiasm in the good roads' movement is being manifested and when the day arrives only fair weather will be necessary in order to get out big delegations of citizens with picks and shovels.

Roads and streets of the town that are in the most need of improvement will be selected by the general committee. One of the roads that will in all probability be selected for improvement will be that of the Speers road. Other roads branching out into Fallowfield township in various directions will require attention, as well as some of the streets of the borough. That nearby roads are in need of attention is evidence by the word of automobilists who ended a long trip in Charleroi Sunday. They say in their journey from another state the worst piece of road they struck was approaching Charleroi.

### MINERS ASK ACTION BY THE SENATE

Miners of Roscoe and vicinity have entered with United States Senator George T. Oliver a vigorous protest to the conduct of affairs in the Colorado coal fields, where there has been a considerable loss of life from fights. At a meeting one night recently the following letter was drafted containing a resolution passed by the miners:

Hon. George T. Oliver,  
United States Senator,  
Washington, D. C.

Honorable Sir:—At a protest meeting held in Roscoe, Pa., miners numbering 500 adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, the miners of Roscoe and vicinity feel that the time has arrived when the senate and congress should take drastic action on the horrible massacre of women and children that has shocked the civilized world, namely, the recent massacre at Ludlow, Colorado, therefore, be it

Resolved, that we, the miners of Roscoe demand that our fellow workers in Colorado be protected from the coal company's assassins."

### UNION OF SOCIETIES HOLD CHURCH MEETING

An interesting union meeting of the young peoples societies was held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening. Miss Helen Strubel lead the meeting. Some excellent talks were given on the work of the young peoples societies. Mrs. J. L. Luce gave an address on temperance work and started a Young Campaigners movement. Miss Mabel Orange and W. C. Clark sang a duet.

### CIRCUS COMING TUESDAY

Hagenbeck-Wallace Attractions to Appear in Charleroi

### COL. WALLACE ACTIVE

Tomorrow will be circus day in Charleroi. The Hagenbeck-Wallace shows will come here for two performances, one in the afternoon and one in the evening. The show is one of the largest on the road today as well as one of the best.

The show will arrive early in the day from Uniontown, having canceled a Johnstown date to come to Charleroi. Between 60 and 70 cars will be used to bring the big array of talent here.

Every feature of the Hagenbeck-Wallace shows is carefully looked after. The animals, captured in the wilds of their native country and trained for acting, constitute a show worth while.

The grave responsibilities of the Hagenbeck-Wallace circus rest upon the shoulders of Col. B. E. Wallace, the owners and manager.

Col. Wallace is the first man off the cars in the morning and his day's work generally ends when all of his comrades are sleeping with the peace bridge.

Most of the tents are up. Work has begun on the gigantic motordome, ferris wheel, parker carry-us-all, steel cage for the free leopard show, ocean wave and Coney Island swings. The show colors are red and yellow. The concession stands are numerous and the ensemble of the layout indicates that these shows comprise the biggest and best carnival that has been here for many years.

The Hunter Shows just concluded a very successful engagement in West Brownsville, their opening celebration. They will be in Monessen all week. The Royal Marine band will begin a series of free concerts on Charleroi streets Tuesday afternoon. Shows will open at 7:30 night.

Col. Wallace generally eats in the tent which houses the executive staff, but it is no uncommon sight to see him eating next to a humble workingman when in a hurry. "In all the world of tented life the world has yet to see the equal of Uncle Ben Wallace, the Hoosier Circusman," says the New York World, and the statement is correct.

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## SUSPICIOUS PERSONS TAKEN UP BY POLICE

Five Arrests Made of Tramps With Possibility of Connecting Them With Recent Crime--Fourteen Arrests on Sunday

Charleroi was well off Saturday night and Sunday morning in the way of suspicious characters and the police gathered in five of them. All were picked up on general principles, with the possibility in mind of connecting one with the fiendish murder of Florence Dove, aged eight of

Doddock. All of the five were discharged, there being nothing to hold them on.

Fourteen prisoners faced Burgess Woodward on Sunday. This included the five tramps arrested as suspicious characters, three foreigners for heaving bricks at a man and the rest largely for drunkenness.

## MOTHER'S DAY OBSERVED IN CHARLEROI CHURCHES

WILL SPEND SUMMER IN JEFFERSON COUNTY  
Editor E. C. Niver of the Mail left Sunday evening, together with Mrs. Niver for Brookwayville, to spend the summer. Mr. Niver has been in poor health since last summer when he was forced to undergo an operation for stomach trouble and the trip to Brookwayville will be for the benefit of his health. Mrs. Niver will continue her duties as state moving picture censor.

Special Attention Paid to Sentiment Surrounding Sunday

### EMBLEM IS CARNATION

Nearly Everybody Wear Flower in Tribute to Memory of Their Mother

Mother's day was fittingly observed on Sunday in Charleroi. Churches held special services commemorative of the day, and as a tribute to "man's best friend on earth" Carnation emblematic of the sentiment of the day were to be seen on nearly every man's coat lapel, and fastened to the dress of nearly every woman, while scarcely a child was without either carnation or a flower of some other kind.

Perhaps the most elaborate celebration of the day was at the Baptist church, where a special program was arranged. The church was decorated with greens and spring flowers. Combining the Sunday school and church service, a program of music and recitations was given, and Rev. W. G. Carl, the pastor of the church, preached a special sermon on Mother's day. Supt. A. G. Lewis of the Sunday school was in charge of the program.

At the Christian church Rev. E. N. Duty preached a sermon on Sunday morning on the theme of "Mother Wege's." Special music was rendered for the occasion.

Rev. C. P. Bastian, pastor of Christ Lutheran church, preached at his morning service on the subject "Mother," and the service was made beautiful by the singing of songs appropriate to the day.

Rev. John R. Burson at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church preached a fine sermon on "Our Debt to Mother" at his morning service, and the service was made one truly for mothers.

At the Methodist Episcopal church a Mother's day sermon, "The Mother of Jesus" was preached by the pastor, Rev. F. A. Richards. Music appropriate was rendered.

At other churches in the town the Mother's day observance was carried out, and tributes were paid everywhere to mothers.

### MISS EDNA EARL BOOTH DIES SUNDAY EVENING

Miss Edna Earl Booth, the daughter of Robert E. Booth, died at the home of her father at 117 Fallowfield avenue Sunday evening at 7:30. Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church. Services will be private. Private interment will take place on Wednesday morning at the Monongahela cemetery.

### SHOE SHINING PARLOR

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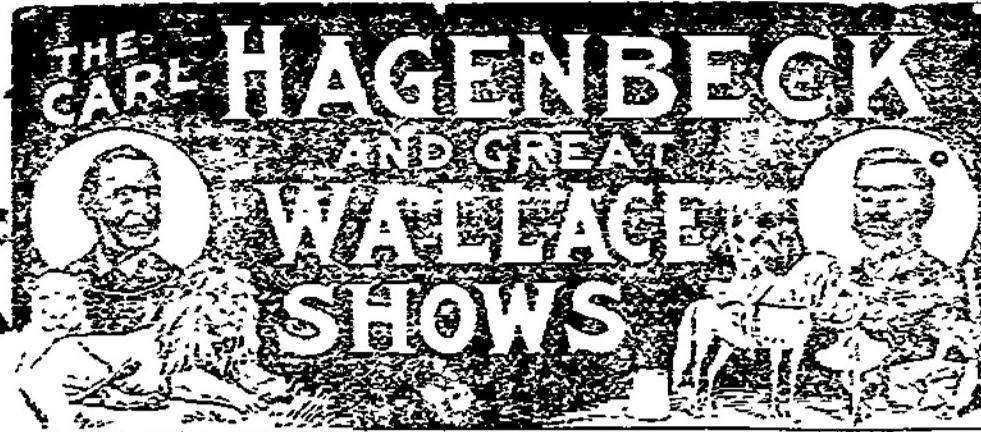
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## TRAINED TO MURDER

ASSASSINS ONCE FORMED A VERY INFLUENTIAL SECT.

Had Their Origin in the East and Spread Their Deadly Work Over Almost All Countries of the World.

The assassination of King George of Greece recalls the fact that the word itself is derived from a regular order of men pledged to take life, especially the life of a ruler.

The assassin sect was an offshoot of the Shah form of Mohammedanism, but its tenets comprised fragments of magianism (or sorcery), Judaism and Christianity, as well as of the teachings of the Koran. It was in some respects not unlike the Druses of Mount Lebanon, with whose outbreaks the name of Lord Dufferin was honorably connected long before he became governor general of Canada.

Its founder, who gave it his name, was Hassan Ben Sabah, chief of the famous mountain fortress of Alamoot in Persia, about 1090. He gathered about him a body of fearless young men, pledged to obey him and highly trained in various methods of murder. These were dispatched, generally singly, to end wars by killing kings or generals, or to destroy rivals or personal enemies.

In order to give them courage for their villainous work, they were taught to make use of hashish, the drug called chang in India, derived from the leaves of the common hemp plant, which is terribly intoxicating. In Arabic they were called hashischin from this fact.

These men followed their instructions in every country, as is shown by the fact that all the European nations have the word in their languages, assassin in German, assassin in French, asesino in Spanish, assassino in Portuguese and Italian, etc. But they flourished especially in the east, where they also used the terror of their name for blackmailing purposes.

The Knight Templars in the time of Richard Coeur de Lion, fought them openly, the leaders of the crusades having suffered seriously from their designs, and also spread the knowledge of them and of their leader, known to them as the "Old Man of the Mountains," throughout christendom.

The Mongols massacred the Persian branch of the order in 1256, and the Sultan Beliars tried to extirpate the Syrian branch in 1270. Neither attack was thoroughly successful, however, and the order is believed to exist to this day in Persia, and to be not without influence in some eastern affairs.

Not even Persia had more horrible assassinations than had France at the time of the revolution, and there was awful rightfulness in the words in which the tyrant Robespierre addressed the national convention, when he was refused permission to make a defense against the fate to which he had consigned so many, and which now threatened him: "President of Assassins," said the deposed ruffian, "for the last time I ask liberty to speak," for by assassins nowadays we mean not members of the sect of that name, but a murderer who spills life blood for any other than a purely personal reason.

Why the Spoon Was Black.

The Rev. Fred T. Paton, son of the famous Dr. Paton, who is following up his father's work as missionary to the New Hebrides, possesses a spoon which is a grawsome relic of the old cannibal habits of the islanders. The manner in which the spoon came into his possession is interesting. He was ambushed one day by a tribe of savages, who became exceedingly friendly on learning that he was unarmed. The chief even told him that he was sent to shoot a few men, but as he could get them when he wanted they could wait while he entertained his guest.

Before he left that tribe they made him a pudding which was thirteen feet round. It was an inch thick at the side and a foot deep in the middle, the ingredients consisting of a pig and some fowls, which were covered with leaves and baked on top and below with hot stones. He was about to begin to eat with a wooden spoon given to him, when a native told him something which made him halt. This spoon had been used for eight generations as the sacred spoon of the tribe, and had figured in all their cannibal feasts. Once it was white, but human blood, grease and dirt had turned it to the color of ebony.

Tudor Bed Brought Bad Luck.

Antiquarians in the old country are searching high and low for a bed that belonged to the old English Tudors. The only clue is that exactly a hundred years ago it was the property of the Rev. Richard Williams, Bodafon, Anglesey. The bed came into the possession of Mr. Williams in the following curious fashion: It had been the property of a farmer for a considerable time. The farmer had trouble, and got it into his head that the bed was the cause of his bad luck. "Surely, some foul murder had been perpetrated in it," he said, and he gave it to one of his cowboys. Some time after, the boy wanted to raise a little money, and he offered to sell the bed to Mrs. Williams. She did not want it, but to do the boy a favor, as she thought, she bought it from him for nine shillings, little supposing from its odd and antiquated appearance that it had been originally bought at sale at Penmynydd, the Anglesey home of Owen Tudor, grandfather of Henry VII.

## NOT LIKE THE REAL THING

Critic of Novelists Complains That Writers Do Not Properly Represent Life as It Is.

Mrs. Durford was known to disapprove of literary people, writes Mrs. Mary C. E. Wezyss in "People of Popham," and her proud boast was that she never read novels. "I can see life as it is, without its being made ridiculous by people who know nothing about it," she would declare.

"You see, Miss Hope, what I object to in writing is this" said Mrs. Durford. "You set out to write a book, which heaven forbid! You write about me? Well, you haven't the least idea what I am thinking about. You say, 'Mrs. Durford' was very much touched when I told her about old Mr. Fubb's death. Her eyes filled with tears.' Well, they didn't. I wanted to sneeze, that was all! See?"

"Well, that would be called literary license. I am sure you would feel the death of a Mr. Fubb dreadfully: I can imagine any one would," I said.

"I just happened to think of the name. I don't suppose a name makes any difference," she replied. "And in describing love, my dear. You may have had proposals, of course. If you have, you will know that not one man in fifty keeps. I shouldn't have respected Doctor Durford's intelligence if he had. Now take proposal's books! Pages and pages, chapters and chapters, whereas the real thing happens like this: Doctor Durford sat at the corner of the road, by the sign post, and he asked me what I was going to do, and I said I was going for a walk. And he said, very naturally, 'I thought, "May I come too?" I bowed. Then he said nothing till we got to Dyer's Pond, and then

"said, 'May I walk with you through there?' I said, 'Yes.' That was all. He gave me the ring: it was in his pocket. Diamonds and sapphires, small, but large enough."

"She went on: "What could be simpler? We had a oak suite in the dining-room, a mahogany suite in the consulting-room, a satinwood suite in the drawing-room, and ash in the bedroom. We had good carpets throughout, changing on the stairs from pile to cord at my bed-room. They are all as good today as they were then."

I said I thought she had chosen best wisely, both in husband and future.—Youth's Companion.

## NOT SPILLED BY POSITION

President of the French Republic  
Pleased to Greet Humble Companion of His Boyhood.

A pretty little incident that throws a pleasing light upon the character of the president of France occurred recently at a banquet given by the French bar to President Poincaré.

At the close of the dinner M. Poincaré called up the waiter who had watched over his comfort. "Thank you Jacques," he said quietly, and shook him by the hand. At the same time the president managed to slip a bank note into the waiter's palm.

"I won't have it!" cried Jacques, to the amusement and astonishment of the guests there ensued a ready struggle between the waiter and the president of the republic.

M. Poincaré ended the amicable dispute by pushing the note into the waiter's pocket and good-naturedly slapping him on the back. The waiter did not resist this sincere geniality—finally, after another handshake—red-wreathed in smiles.

When the president turned back to the table he noticed the perplexed looks on the faces of the guests, who did not know what to make of the scene.

"You see," he explained simply. "I was at school with Jacques at Samay."—Youth's Companion.

## Valuable Horse.

The talk in the lobby of a Washington hotel the other evening turned to horses, and Congressman Thomas W. Hardwick of Georgia recalled an incident that recently happened in the south.

Rambling along the road one morning a colored party named Rastus met his neighbor Sambo. Instantly it was seen that Rastus had large tidings to impart.

"Look yeah, Sambo," he excitedly remarked, "did yo' know dat somebody done gone steal Deacon White's maw's las' night?"

"Yo' deon mean it, Rastus?" exclaimed Sambo, with an expressive cast of countenance. "Did dey find em' clue to de tief dat done de crime?"

"Yess, dey suah did," answered Rastus. "In de stable whar dey took de boss from dey find a quo't bottle full 'em."

"A quo't bottle full o' gin, eh?" returned Sambo. "Good! Den de Deacon doan lose nuttin' on dat boss."

## Rabbits Know Geography.

Since the Connecticut game law went into effect there has been much trouble along the state line over Rhode Island shooters coming over to this side. Connecticut game wardens and protectors are scattered along the line looking out for law violators who plead ignorance of the state line whereabouts.

Two Providence men were fined \$30.44 for each rabbit "holed" for that hadn't caught any.

One of the men said:

"Them gosh hanged rabbits appear to be well posted on southern New England geography, and coax us over the line so you darned loafers can get a chance to make money by roping us in."—East Killingly (Conn.) Dispatch to N. Y. Herald.

## BASEBALL SPARKS

This morning's workout was the rehearsal for the outfield. His regular job in the past has been first base, and it will be a contest between he and O'Day for that place. His speed may carry him through.

Kellaway, a Monongahela valley boy, though big and strong as an ox, has not yet got his arm in shape. In pitching this morning he had trouble finding the plate.

"Take a run around, slow at first, then go in." These are the instructions O'Day gives his men after each workout.

Phillips is big enough to murder the ball and gives the indication that he is going to do it when he stalks to the plate with a slug stick.

Schaeffer, of Philadelphia and Jack Brassel, or Orange, N. J., are both city roke, which is to their benefit as ball players. Both show ability in the field and at bat.

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## TO THE VOTERS

It is of importance to every wage earner, every farmer and every manufacturer in the Twenty-fourth Congressional District and in the whole State of Pennsylvania, that the Republican party should be returned to power both in the State and Nation. In order to do this we must return Republicans from every Congressional District.

Two years ago a majority of the voters felt that the Republican party had nothing to do with the prosperity of the country; two years ago men did not think of tariff as a protection to the American wage earner; two years ago men talked of tariff only to abuse it; two years ago there was plenty of employment for men willing to work and at a living wage. Today men feel that the Democratic incompetency has something to do with hard times; today men feel the Republican party did stand for prosperity and the Democratic party for free trade conditions; today men are thinking very hard about tariff and the men who do not have work are satisfied that the tariff did, after all, have something to do with their opportunity to earn a livelihood. Today men are satisfied that the Democratic party has not made good the promise it held out to allure the voters. If it was not for the income tax and the additional revenue collected by the present administration there is no doubt but what it would be forced to issue bonds before the end of its four years of service. There never was a time when there was a greater need of united efforts in the forces behind the Republican party that have brought about good and wholesome laws and healthful and encouraging industrial conditions. We can have this again if the forces will unite.

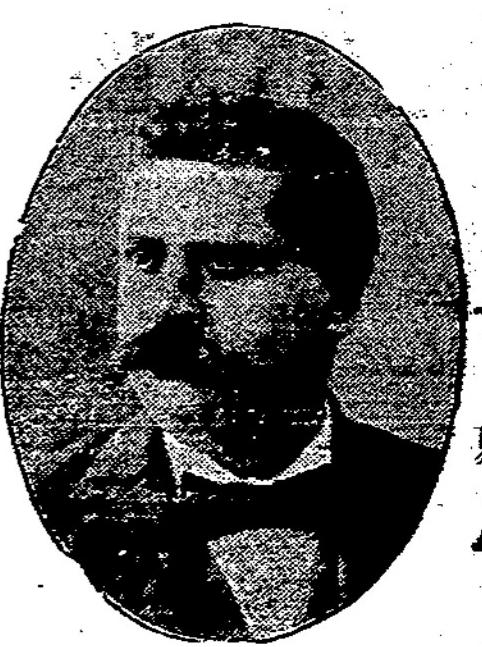
This Congressional District has been represented by one not a Republican, by one not in harmony with its principles, its purposes, its objects and its aims.

The foes of the Republican party are to blame for the conditions that now confront the producer and the wage earner. They have not kept their promises, therefore, we urge you to come back into the Republican party, place her in power and like a trained pilot at the wheel of the ship or a skillful mariner at the helm, she will guide the Ship of State from the deplorable shoals of free trade and back into the broad, smooth currents of prosperity.

If you are dis-satisfied with the conditions now prevailing, then you should vote for the Hon. William M. Brown for Congress, for a man who, tried and true, has stood for the principles of Republicanism for years.

If you believe that the conditions that prevailed under the last administration are better than those prevailing under this administration, then you should defeat every foe of Republicanism, whether Democratic or Bull Moose, or any other type, and place in charge those who are only Republicans and not running under Republican and Washington tickets both.

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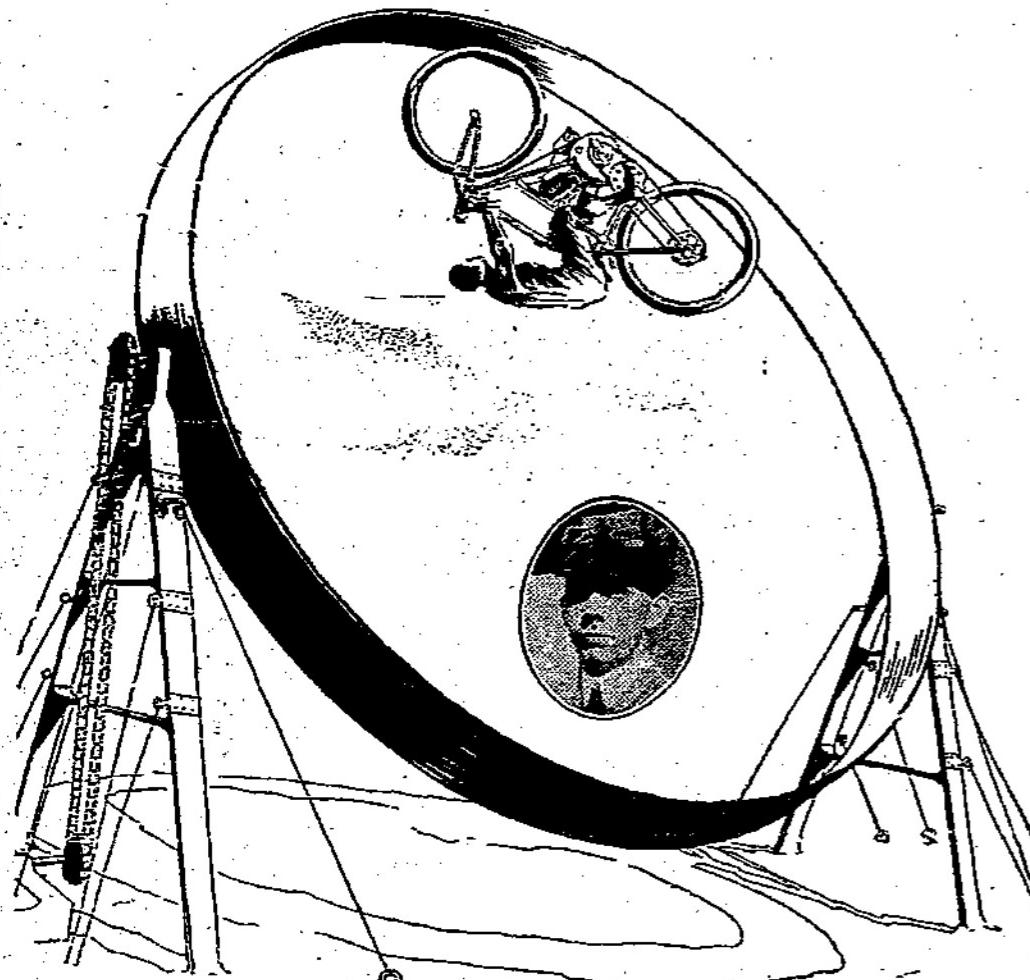
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## WELL KNOWN CALIFORNIA VETERAN DIES

Following an illness of two weeks of pneumonia and heart trouble, Captain J. K. Billingsley, in his day one of the most widely known men in Western Pennsylvania politics, a veteran of the Civil war and a man long prominent in affairs along the river died Sunday at his home in California. He was 78 years of age.

Captain Billingsley was the son of Moses and Mary Duvall Billingsley, being the eldest of eight children. He passed his entire life in this vicinity. He was educated at the seminary at California and was a teacher in the public schools for eight years.

At the outbreak of the Civil war he enlisted as a private soldier. He rapidly won promotion and in March 5, 1863 was made a captain and assigned to Company C, 22nd West Virginia cavalry. He was wounded at Cross Keys but remained with his regiment until it was mustered out.

Captain Billingsley, a staunch Republican, had a remarkable political career. He was first elected to the Pennsylvania state legislature in 1875 and served until 1879. In 1881 he was again elected to the legislature and continued in office until 1889. On

August 16, 1888, Captain Billingsley was appointed a postoffice inspector

and served until July 1, 1885. He was re-appointed September 3, 1889 and re-

signed January 1, 1890. For 18 years

he was a state trustee of the California Normal school and always took a great interest in the school. He was a member of the Royal Arcanum.

Captain Billingsley leaves his wife,

Mrs. Anna Hornbake Billingsley and three children: Misses Frankie and

Nevada Billingsley, at home, and

Mrs. Romaine Billingsley Hammond

of Utica, N. Y. Two sisters also sur-

vive, Mrs. Emma Crouch of Butler,

and Mrs. Harriet Dunlap of Winfield,

Kansas. James Quay Billingsley of

California is a nephew.

Funeral services conducted by Prof-

essor G. G. Hertzog and the Rev. Ar-

thur Cox of the California Chris-

tian church will be held at the Bol-

lingsley home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be in charge of G. A. R. Interment will be in the Eastern cemetery.

### Notice To Teachers.

The Fallowfield Township School Board will meet on Saturday May 23, 1914 at Bank of Charleroi, Charleroi, Pa., at one o'clock sharp to elect teachers for a term of seven months. Wages \$75.00, \$60.00, and \$55.00 per month, according to grade of certificate and years of experience. Schools to commence the first Monday of September. All applicants must be presented with certificate.

By order of the Board.

Henry E. Rider, Pres.

Speers, R. D., I. Pa.

Wesley Young, Secy.

Monongahela, R. D. 3, Pa.

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